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In re Patent Application of: Kunihiro Kakihara et al.

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For: HEAT-TREATED RESIN MOLDINGS AND

HEAT-TREATING APPARATUS FOR SOME

Examiner: J. C. Yager

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 1, 2008, between:

Group I, claims 1,3, 5-7 and 15-19, drawn to a heat-treated resin molding.

Group II, claims 8-14 and 20, drawn to a resin molding heat-treating apparatus.

Applicant hereby elects Group II, claims 8-14 and 20, drawn to a resin molding heat-treating apparatus, without traverse.

In any event, Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected claims prior to issuance of any patent maturing from the instant application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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